

## The Carlsbad Current and New Mexico Sun.

Carlsbad, N. M., Friday, Mar. 13 1908

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### Probate Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Probate Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder of Eddy County, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

ARTHUR H. GUTHRIE

#### Tax Assessor.

The Current is authorized to announce John W. Price, of Artesia, as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Eddy County, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

The Current is authorized to announce D. R. Barker for re-election to the office of Assessor of Eddy County, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

The Current is authorized to announce Jim. H. M. Keen for re-election to the office of Assessor of Eddy County, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

#### Sheriff

I hereby present my name to the democratic voters of Eddy County for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Eddy County, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

JAC. D. CHRISTOPHER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Eddy County, New Mex., subject to the action of the democratic primaries. I earnestly solicit the support of all.

M. C. STEWART

#### Superintendent of Public Instruction

The name of J. W. Armstrong is hereby announced for Superintendent of Public Instruction of Eddy County, subject to the decision of the democratic voters at the primaries.

#### Commissioner District No. 2

The Current is authorized to announce the name of Joseph H. Graham for Commissioner, District No. 2, Eddy County, N. M., subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

#### Commissioner District No. 3

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner for District No. 3, Eddy County, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

J. C. KEITH

The Current is authorized to announce the name of J. W. Beeman for Commissioner from District No. 3, Eddy County, subject to the democratic primaries.

#### Probate Judge

Mr. W. W. Weaver announces the Current in state that he will be a candidate for Probate Judge of Eddy County, subject to the action of the democratic primaries.

The many friends of J. T. Rives and W. H. Hull will be gratified to learn that since last Friday they have closed a sale for farm lands or town property each day except one and that day they made two sales. Few people realize the benefits derived by a town from a hustling, honest real estate firm, because real estate men have the name of being anything to make a sale. However, in many cases this impression is caused by market values falling after a sale is made and losses by buyers that the real estate man could not foresee, for the reputation of a reputable real estate firm is the most valuable asset of the business, and the best advertisement is a well satisfied customer. Fortunately for Messrs. Rives & Hull this country at the present time is entering upon an era of the greatest prosperity ever known in the history of Carlsbad and the lower valley. It is now plain to all sensible buyers that there is nothing so safe an investment as lands under the government canal, for the country north of Roswell is not irrigated and is liable to long droughts while the country between Roswell and Carlsbad has no irrigation facilities, except an artesian flow. For this reason the representations made by our real estate firms can be relied upon and the continued rising values insure satisfied customers.

Mr. J. C. Keith announces this week for Commissioner in District No. 3. Mr. Keith came here in February 1900 from Crockett Co., Texas, where he was known as a "sheep democrat" having for nineteen years been engaged in the sheep and wool industry, an occupation that has made more republicans than all the silver tongued spell binders on earth. Mr. Keith is one of the substantial farmers of the valley, residing on his half section irrigated farm near Otis, seven miles south of Carlsbad, where he has a fine field of alfalfa and some fruit, having set out sixty acres of trees this winter and spring. He is a very busy man but will endeavor to meet the voters generally before the primaries

occur, and when they grasp his hand they will realize that he is a man who is not afraid of farm work or in fact any other kind of work even to making a canvass of Eddy county.

Mr. C. W. Beeman, of Malaga, announces this week from District No. 3, for County Commissioner. Mr. Beeman came here from Texas in 1892 a very young man and has practically grown up in this county. He has been chosen by his neighbors for many terms to fill the unremunerative office of school director, the results of which are apparent in the condition of the finances of the school district which has always conducted a long term of school each year, besides paying interest and amount for sinking fund for a fine school building and now has funds to add and enlarge same. Mr. Beeman, if elected, will make a careful, fair and progressive commissioner, for his great hobby is good roads.

To say that the Albuquerque trade excursion was a success is not describing the affair. New Mexico like every community should get closer together. It is the part of wisdom and common interest that the citizens of each commonwealth be well acquainted for our interests are identical in many ways. The visit of the Albuquerque people should have been made last July, even though it would have been more difficult, for, had they attended our Irrigation Celebration, Carlsbad people would have felt they were really interested in us. But, the Belen cut off was not completed then and it would have been more difficult to get here via auto, so we will withhold judgement until the next time a big celebration occurs in Carlsbad and will expect them with us. In the meantime Carlsbad will attend the Albuquerque Irrigation Congress of the World and carry off the big prizes, make the best speeches and as Mr. McLenathen said, strangers then will want to know if Albuquerque is not in the Pecos Valley.

With the general get together spirit that prevails in Carlsbad the many projected public improvements and the many new people coming in it is plain to even the wayfaring person that Carlsbad is on the eve of the greatest impetus ever in its history. Carlsbad during 1908 will build ten miles of concrete side walks a \$25,000 sewer system put \$10,000 on streets \$5,000 on fire department, a \$20,000 high school and a \$10,000 bridge. Add to this the thousands that will be invested in building and some idea may be had of what our growth will be in 1908. People who are undecided whether or not to invest will learn shortly that delay means loss in great big gobs.

#### Best Results

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#### Real Estate Sales.

By Rives & Hull

Lot 6, Block 56, Carlsbad, Robt. Bruce to J. O. McKeen, \$1,250.

Three acres of S. W. 1-4, Sec. 11-24-28 of old Humason place. J. O. McKeen to Robt. Bruce.

Lot 2, Block 64, L. O. Fullen to Tom Pope.

P. V. Beet Sugar to J. A. Cushing, N. 1-2, N. W. 1-4 Sec. 34-22-27. This is the eighty south of the Hove place near Otis.

P. V. Beet Sugar Co. to Cecil Thompson, N. E. 1-4 of S. W. 1-4 Sec. 34-22-27.

Chas. Austin to Carl Bobzin fifteen acres in La Huerta, old M. Sharpe place. Consideration \$4,500.

P. I. Co. to G. I. Meyer, 20 acres of N. W. 1-4 of Sec. 7-22-27.

Harper Silliman to F. B. Parsons, S. 1-2 S. E. 1-4, 22-22-27.

#### Married.

Mr. Robert Lucas and Miss Edith Hall were married Tuesday evening at the Palace Hotel, Rev. Campsten of the Presbyterian church, officiating. Miss Hall came here last October from Raymond, Miss. to teach the school at the head of Black river and, though an excellent teacher for young pupils, Bob prevailed on her to accept a smaller school with only one pupil, though further advanced than those she had been teaching. Bob is a good and kind young man, having been born on Black river in 1885, two years after his parents. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Lucas, came to Eddy county from Texas. Bob received a good education in Carlsbad and at the New Mexico Military Institute. He took up an eight-section home in Texas last year to which place he will take his young bride, where they will undoubtedly make a fine ranch home, for Bob is one of the progressive young men of the country. The Current joins their many friends in wishing them long life and prosperity.

#### Knowles.

Grass grazing up and the poor, old cows are running themselves down to get a nip.

Gardening is in full blast, and the fruit trees are in bloom. They may be "flying their colors" too soon.

Miss B. McMaster has gone to east Texas to visit her mother.

Jim Pate took charge of the hotel the 1st, Mr. Love moving to the new town, which has been christened Lovington.

Carl Aycock is in, visiting his mother and "another."

Mr. Wilhoit shot an eagle in this vicinity that measured eight feet from tip to tip.

Railroad talk is again the topic of the day. Ft. Worth papers announce that work on the road from that point to Carlsbad will be under way within the next two months.

The sweet chimes of wedding bells may soon be heard from more quarters than one.

School closed at East Barber last Friday. The term, though short, has been an interesting one. Mrs. Coleman has given entire satisfaction as the teacher. At the noon hour, the patrons spread a "big dinner." The good mothers vied with each other as to who could bring the most and the best. The result can be imagined. After dinner the pupils gave an entertainment consisting of thirty numbers. All did their parts well, reflecting much credit upon themselves, and also upon the guiding hand of the teacher.

## BEST RESULTS

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## COMPARISON OF THE ADMINISTRATIONS

The right hand column shows the appropriations made for the year of the Thornton administration. The left hand column shows the appropriations made for the year of the Otero administration. The figures in the right hand column indicate, of course, that as to these particular items the appropriation was made by the Thornton administration, and that for the reason that at that time no such office existed, the same having been created by the Otero administration for the purpose of rewarding its political supporters, and for the further purpose of increasing its political following.

OTERO'S ADMINISTRATION		THORNTON'S ADMINISTRATION	
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE			
Contingent expenses	\$3,000.00	Contingent expenses	\$500
Private secretary	1,500.00		
Messenger	180.00		
Total	\$4,680.00	Total	\$500
SOLICITOR GEN. OR ATTY GEN. OFFICE			
Salary solicitor or atty. general	\$4,000	Salary	\$2,000
Assistant	600		
Stenographer	1,200		
Total	\$4,800	Total	\$2,000
AUDITOR'S OFFICE			
Auditor's salary	\$3,000	Auditor's salary including clerk	\$3,000
Clerk's hire	1,000	hire	
Total	\$4,000	Total	\$3,000
TREASURER'S OFFICE			
Salary	\$2,400	Salary, including clerk hire	\$2,500
Clerk hire	1,200		
Total	\$3,600	Total	\$2,500
OFFICE OF SUPT. OF INSTRUCTION			
Salary and incidentals	\$2,400	Salary and incidentals	\$2,500
Assistant	1,800		
Printing and contingent expenses	400		
Total	\$4,600	Total	\$2,500
TRAVELING AUDITOR'S OFFICE			
Salary	\$2,400		
Clerk	1,200		
Contingent expenses	1,800		
Deficiency	671.90		
Total	\$6,071.90		
GAME WARDEN			
Salary	\$1,800	Appointed in several counties and	
Incidentals	500	allowed fees for arrest.	
Total	\$2,300		
BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION			
Printing and incidentals	\$4,000	Board of five members without compensation to appoint a secretary at a salary of	\$500
Secretary	1,500		
Total	\$5,500	Total	\$500
MOUNTED POLICE			
Salary	\$13,000		
Incidentals	1,200		
Total	\$14,200		
IRRIGATION COMMISSION			
Engineer	\$2,000	Five citizens to be appointed, no compensation except expenses, no railroad fare as all held passes	
Incidentals	300		
Six commissioners at \$5 per day and \$5 expenses for 100 days	7,800		
Total	\$10,100	Total	Hotel Bills
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS			
Commissioner	\$2,500		
Clerk hire	2,000		
Board of control, same as Irrigation board, 6 at \$5 per day and expenses, say for 100 days	4,800		
Total	\$9,300		
INSURANCE COMMISSIONER			
Salary of commissioner	\$2,400		
Expenses exclusive of salaries	1,200		
Office furniture, etc.	1,200		
Total	\$4,800		